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Applicant : Ulrich Luedtke, et al.

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AIR PUMP AND METHOD

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RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office action of September 30, 2008, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows. Please charge or credit Deposit Account No. 13-3080 with any shortage or overpayment of fees required for this Response.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listings of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.